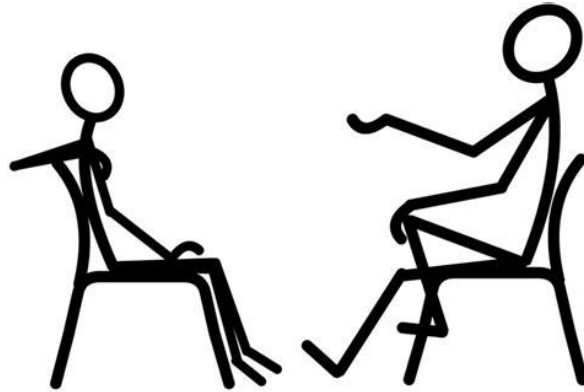


**Fall 2023 Calvary Reading & Prayer Guide**  
**The Acts of the Apostles**

**“You will be my Witnesses” (Acts 1:8)**



You can read The Acts of the Apostles in a bible you have at home,  
or you can read it online on Bible Gateway [HERE](#):

<b><u>DATES</u></b>	<b><u>CHAPTERS</u></b>	<b><u>WEEKLY PRAYERS</u></b>
<b>OCT. 1-7</b>	Acts 1-4	<i>Ask for Christ’s power to be a witness within your family, at work/school, etc.</i>
<b>OCT 8-14</b>	Acts 5-7	<i>Our sin hinders our witness. Ask the Lord: “In my relationship with You, is there a sin you want me to confess &amp; turn from?”</i>
<b>OCT. 15-21</b>	Acts 8-10	<i>Who is the “Saul” I am praying for?</i>  <i>Name: _____</i>
<b>OCT. 22-28</b>	Acts 11-13	<i>God sent Paul &amp; Barnabas together to witness. Pray for fellow witnesses to support &amp; encourage you.</i>
<b>OCT. 29-NOV. 4</b>	Acts 14-16	<i>Our sin hinders our witness. The guidance here is to “Keep ourselves from sexual immorality.” Pray for yourself &amp; others to gladly turn away from sexual &amp; other sin.</i>

- NOV. 5-NOV. 11** Acts 17-19 *In his Athens witness, Paul cites poems of his era. Ask God: Show me how to use movies, music, books, etc. as I witness.*
- NOV. 12-17** Acts 20-22 *Cultural gods are offended by Christ. How does our message of God's reign confront the gods of our own era?*
- NOV. 18-24** Acts 23-25 *The Lord tells Paul, "Do not be afraid!" as a witness. This week, gladly hear God encouraging you the same way.*
- NOV. 25-NOV. 30** Acts 26-28 *Paul continues to have Christ conversations all the way to the end. Pray for endurance as a witness to Christ!*

**THEME: You are my witnesses" (Jesus in Acts 1:8)**

**A court witness is** a person who sees an event, typically a crime or accident, and later tells what they saw.

Jesus called his followers "**witnesses**" to his resurrection. The apostles whom we are reading about saw the risen Jesus, and told others about their experience, and about the gospel of the kingdom (Acts 28:31). They invited others to trust and follow King Jesus along with them (Acts 2:38-39).

Now **their message has been passed on through the centuries to us!** May God bless you as you read The Acts. If you are a follower of Jesus, may you empower you to live for Jesus and to witness for him in your conversations with others! (Acts 8:1-12).